SLEEPING GUESTS CAUGHT BY FLAMES

THAT DEVOURED FT. WAYNE HO-TEL-MANY DRIVEN BACK TO THEIR ROOMS BY SMOKE.

TEN ARE KILLED AND SEVERAL INJURED

Ohio Man Leaps From Fourth Floor to Screamed, Before Deciding on the burned, the loss being \$50,000. Fatal Jump.

Ft. Wayne, Ind., May 4.-Ten known dead, many missing and 13 seriously seeing. injured is the result of a fire that destroyed the new Aveline hotel, Ft Wayne's principal hotel, at an early hour Sunday.

Chief of Police Anckenbruck said Sunday afternoon he believed 20 bodies were still in the ruins.

The entire interior of the building is a smoldering heap of ruins and how many dead are concealed by the debris can only be conjectured. The hotel hanged himself because of heavy finanregister was consumed by the fire and there are no accurate means of determining who is missing.

The known dead: R. S. Johnson Pana, Ill.; M. Hirsch, New York (there is also an M. Hirsch among the ones saved); J. B. Miller, Sheboygan, Wis.: J. E. Ellis, Carson, Pirie, Scott & Co. Chicago; W. A. Pitcher, Ft. Wayne, salesman for S. F. Bowser & Co., Ft. Wayne; J. W. Deviney, salesman for and dynamite his business place. Crawford & Lehman, Philadelphia; three unidentified men; one unidentified woman.

Known missing: Frank Baxter, at torney, Auburn, Ind.; companion of Frank Baxter, of Auburn, Ind; E. B. Alty, Wabash, Ind.; Charles Benjamin, salesman for Detroit Neckwear Co., Detroit, Mich.; Mrs. Sarah Hathaway, Mishawaka, Ind.; unknown woman, companion of Mrs. Sarah Hathaway. Some of the bodies taken out are

mangled and charred beyond recog nition and the work of identification is in these cases a task almost baffling. The fire was discovered at 3:30 Sun

day morning in the elevator shaft by Night Clerk Ralph Hopkins. He rushed to the upper floors alarm-

ing the guests until the flames, which had spread with appalling rapidity. drove him back. His efforts, however, saved many lives.

The hotel was erected half a century ago, and the woodwork was dry as tinder. It burned like matchwood and within a few minutes from the time the fire was discovered the whole interior of the hotel was a mass of flames.

The fire department rescued many by means of ladders, but some, frenzied by the onward rush of the flames. leaped from high windows to the pave

Some did not wait for the efforts of the firemen and leaped to the street. Several were seriously injured in this manner.

There were many thrilling escapes. Claude H. Varnell, of the Ft. Wayne baseball team; his sister, Mrs. John Hendricks, and John Hendricks, of Chicago, manager of the Ft. Wayne team, together with Master Hendricks, agent 5 years barely escaped with their lives

Varnell lost his personal belongings. When the fire was at its height a man at a third-story window was seen wildly waving his arms.

He shricked: "My God, men, save me! Will no one save me?" He ther, leaped from the window and

went swirling to the pavement below. He was picked up desperately hurt. He was E. M. Matthews, of Columbus., O.

FIVE KILLED.

And Four Injured By a Tenement Fire in Brooklyn.

New York, May 4 .- An early morning fire in a four-story brick tenement at No. 17 Humboldt street, a thickly populated district of Brooklyn, caused the death of five persons and the serious injury of four others.

Every member of one family, con CATTLEsisting of a mother and four children are among the dead. There were many thrilling rescues by police and firemen and it was due to their brave work that the death list was not larger.

A half dozen or more persons, trap ped in the upper stories, were saved by jumping into life nets. The financial loss is estimated at \$10,000.

The dead: Mrs. Dora Abrams and Sadie, Carrie and Charles Abrams and Mrs. Jennie Cohen.

The injured are Mrs. May Noble Mrs. Amelia Hirschorn and Fannie Hirschorn, who sustained severe burns and Annie Hirschorn, who suffered a broken shoulder from jumping from t window into a life net.

The fire started in the cellar of the building when the people comprising the eight families living the house were asleep.

Jack, the Poisoner.

Philadelphia, Pa., May 4.-The police are hunting for a dangerous criminal, whom they dub "Jack, the Poison-To one 5-year-old girl whom he CORN-No. 2 mixed met on the street he gave poisoned OATS-No. 2 mixed cake and the child is dying.

Two Officials Assassinated. Cairo, Egypt, May 4 .- A British subject, Scott Moncrieff, deputy inspector of the Blue Nile province, together with a native official, has been assassinated at the instance of a local shiek.

THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

Fred Auterburn, a prisoner at Atlan-

ic, Ia., locked the jailer in a cell and escaped. A. B. Richards, a veteran plainsman

and Indian fighter, died at Nebraska lity, Neb. The largest Y. M. C. A. building out-

side of New York city was dedicated in Dayton, O.

Serious damage was done in Leon county, the tobacco section of Florida, by a wind storm. The private bank of Malone & Son

of Cayuga, Ind., was closed by the state bank examiner. The plant of the John A. Bunn Chain Death-"Will No One Save Me?" He company at St. Paul, Minn., was

President and Mrs. Roosevelt received 600 New England working women who were in Washington sight-

Three French officers and 31 native oldiers were ambushed in Dagana, Vest Africa, and all but one officer

nassacred. A receiver was appointed for Wilbest known leather dealers in the Uni- islands. ted States.

Julian Bakk, the Jewish millionaire publisher of Rech of St. Petersburg. ial losses. Miss Georgia E. Bible of North Caro-

lina, arrested in Chicago, confessed to the theft of \$8,000 worth of diamonds rom Herbert Loeb of Philadelphia. Joseph Carabelli, a wealthy Italian

of Cleveland, O., reported to the police that he had received a "Black Hand" etter demanding \$5,000, threatening his life, to kidnap his wife and son

The Michigan supreme court affirmed the conviction and sentence of Philip A. McHugh and Charles P. O'Neil, two prominent young attorneys of Detroit, who were held in contempt by Judge Connolly of Detroit for failing to proceed with a murder trial at the time set by the court.

DARING EXPRESS ROBBERY.

Two Bandits Overpower Messenger and Get Four Bags of Money.

Pittsburg, Pa., May 1.-Two train obbers, who evidently boarded the New York & St. Louis express on the an-Handle railroad at the Union staion in this city when that train left at 10:05 Thursday night, overpowered he express messenger and got away with four bags of currency, containng about \$600.

The robbery was committed near Valkers station, about 11 miles west f the city. The train was brought a sudden halt by an emergency ignal from the bell rope and when Conductor William Lafferty went forward to learn the trouble he found he express messenger. N. Roshen, bound and gagged and so frightened hat he could not give any connected eport of what had happened.

Fatal Duel in Alabama.

Garrison shot and killed J. D. Wil- 1896, being designed and constructed Creek in a duel. Dr. Garrison recently historic record consists of her part about family affairs. A coroner's jury also participated in the battle of the exonerated Garrison, who is danger oualy wounded.

Last Real D. A. R. Is Dead.

Woodbury, Conn., May 2 .- Miss Rhoda Augusta Thompson, the last eal daughter of the American revolution, died at her home here Friday, following a paralytic stroke. Her ather was a drummer boy in the revolutionary army. Miss Thompson was born at Woodstock, N. Y., June 1, 1821, and was the youngest of 17 children.

Fatal Automobile Accident.

Atlantic City, N. J., May 2.-Samuel T. Bailey of Camden, president of the Farr & Bailey company, manufacturers of oil cloth, was killed and his wife and J. B. Tripp, their chauffeur, were severely hurt in an automobile collision with an electric train on the Pennsylvania railroad Friday.

MARKET REPORTS.

Cincinnati, May 2.

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WARSHIP BLAST

JAPANESE TRAINING CRUISER SUNK BY EXPOSION OF PROJECTILE.

Sons of Nobles Are Lost-About 150 Members of the Crew and Cadeta Are Rescued by Two Other War Vessels-Many Officers Drown.

Tokyo, May 1 .- The training cruiser Matsushima was sunk off the Pescadores islands Thursday by the explosion of a projectile. The cruisers Itsukushima and Hashidate rescued a number of men. It was feared that over 200, including the captain of the Matushima, had been lost. Admiral Yoshimatsu, commander of the training squadron, reports that the explosion occurred while anchoring at Maliam A. Stetson of Boston, one of the kang, a harbor on the Pescadores

> Cruiser Immediately Sinks. The Matsushima immediately sank until only the bridge was visible. Efforts at rescue by boats from the cruisers Hashidate and Itsukushima continued for a long time, saving the lives of 141 men, including some officers. The majority of the officers were not saved, and at the time of the admiral's report the cadets numbered 58 out of a complement of 300. The sons of Baron Chinda, vice-minister of the foreign office, and of Prince Oyama, field marshal, are among the cadets who it was feared were jost, also Capts. Name, Yoshmori and Yashiro. The cause of the explosion was unknown.

Seeks Facts Before Report. Washington, May 1.—Baron Takahira, the Japanese ambassador, was just about to start for the state depart ment Thursday when he was shown the dispatch from Tokyo telling of the loss of life by the explosion on the cruiser Matsushima. It was the first news the ambassador had received bf the tragedy and he expressed deep regret over the occurrence. With their usual caution and conservatism the naval officials at Tokyo evidently are obtaining all the information possible before giving out any full report of the disaster. No report of the explosion reached the navy department during the morning from the American naval attache at Tokyo. Naval officers who at once looked up the record of the cruiser drew the conclusion that her loss was not a heavy one to the apanese navy.

Vessel a Small One. She was of less than 5,000 tons displacement and of a type which has not been followed since her construction. The peculiarity of the Matsushima was her armament, which consisted of one 12-inch gun mounted on her poop deck. In addition she carried 12 four-inch guns and a battery of smaller caliber and four above-wa-Birmingham, Ala., May 1.-Dr. J. D. ter torpedo tubes. She was built in tams, an electrician, Thursday at Flat at La Seyne, France. Her principal noved away from Flat Creek and in the war between Japan and China. came to Birmingham. Bad blood ex when she was the flagship of Admiral sted between Williams and Garrison Ito in the battle of the Yalu river. She Sea of Japan.

> ANXIETY FOR MR. CLEVELAND. Former President Said to Have Cancer

> > of the Stomach

New York, May 2.-Considerable anxiety was occasioned Friday by widely circulated rumors that the condition of ex-President Grover Cleveland, who has been ill for several weeks at a hotel in Lakewood, N. J., had assumed a grave phase and that slight hopes were entertained of his recovery.

The Evening World gave prominence to reports current at the offices of the Equitable Life Assurance society, of Lobos on the south. which Mr. Cleveland is a voting trustee, that the former president's physicians had diagnosed his illness as that there was no hope of their distinguished patient's recovery.

Positive denial of these statements was not obtainable. Dr. Joseph D. Bryant, who has attended Mr. Cleveland for years, said that his -patient from Lakewood were favorable.

TAFT STARTS FOR COLON.

Secretary to investigate Several Matters on the Isthmus.

Washington, May 1.—Secretary Taft left Washington Thursday afternoon for Charleston, S. C., where he will embark on the United States cruiser Prkairie and proceed to Colon, whither he goes at the suggestion of the president to investigate several important questions connected with the construction of the Panama canal and the rela tions between the United States and the republic of Panama, and also the boundary dispute between Panama and Colombia. The secretary was accompanied by Richard R. Rogers, general counsel of the canal commission; Wendell W. Mischler, his stenographer, and a messenger.

Challenged to Fight a Duel. New Orleans, May 1.-As a result of a statement he made concerning the testimony of a witness before the port investigation commission, Matthew J. Sanders, a prominent financier and business man of this city, Thursday received a challenge to fight a duel. The witness and challenger was J. B. Honor, a contracting stevedore, who is a'so well known in business circles.

SPEAKING OF SPRING STYLES.



No:v That the Fops of San Mateo, Cal., Have Taken to Wearing Green Hats with Plumes of the Same Color



May We Not Hope to See This,



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CITIZENS OF CALIFORNIA TOWN BEGIN ENTERTAINING THE BLUEJACKETS.

Entry at Frisco Planned-Passage of the country home of Mrs. Dello Gun-United Atlantic and Pacific Fleets Through Golden Gate Will Be Stirring Spectacle.

Monterey, Cal., May 2.-The Atlantic fleet of battleships steamed in here Friday to give Monterey peninsula a place in the history of the American navy's record-breaking cruise around the world. The residents of Monterey and Pacific Grove and all the other settlements of the vicinity made the ceasion of the arrival a holiday. They lined the water front when the fleet dropped anchor at six o'clock in he morning and lingered long to view the beautiful marine spectacle of the 6 ships drawn up in divisional fornation-four lines of four ships each with the flagship Connecticut, Georgia, Alabama and Missouri at the leads of the column.

A great variety of entertainments shore, both for the men and the offiers of the fleet, marked the first day of the battleships' stay and the visit the squadrons promises to be thoroughly enjoyable one.

Entry at Frisco to Be Fine.

Golden Gate into San Francisco bay on Wednesday next. The revised ness' will. lans provide for the most picturesque aval display in the history of the na ion. It is now ordered that all of the essels of the Pacific fleet shall join he Atlantic battleships outside the Golden Gate and steam with them through the harbor entrance to the anchorage in the bay where the review of the navy is to be held. Practically the entire fighting force of the navy with the exception of a few newlycommissioned ships in the east and a ew gunboats in Philippine waters, will be in the great column of white and buff vessels that thread their way between the headlands of the gateway -Point Bonita on the north and Point

Forty-six vessels will be in line and the long column will stretch as far out to sea as the eye can see. The vacancer of the stomach and had decided ciety of fighting craft will range from the massive 16,000-ton Connecticut down to the little destroyer Fox of only 154 tons. Battleships, armored cruisers, protected cruisers, gunboats, destroyers, torpedo boats and auxiltaries-in fact every class of veasel in was "all right" and that all his reports the navy save the obsolete monitorswill be represented in this remarkable parade through the famous port entry.

Evans Will Be on Flagship. The steaming of the ships through the Golden Gate will be a far more impressive and enduring picture than the review at anchor which is to be held two days after the arrival, on Friday next. Rear Admiral Robley D. Evans will be either on the bridge of the Connecticut or in the emergency cabin where he commands a full view of the fleet, in entering San Fran-

ciaco bay. The hour of rendezvous outside the Golden Gate-probably at the San Francisco lightship-has been fixed for nine a. m. on Wednesday next, May 6. Three hours later, or as near noon as the calculations of the navigators can compute the broad white bows of the Connecticut will appear within the gateway.

Confiscated Coffee Burned. Nashville, Tenn., May 1 .- Eleven thousand pounds of green coffee which was recently confiscated here by the United States government on the ground that it contained deleterious and adulterous substances, was burned Thursday under the supervision of a deputy marshal here. The coffee came. from New Orleans and was consigned to Nashville parties.

ACCUSED OF KILLING FOUR

LAPORTE, IND., MAN CHARGED WITH STARTING BLAZE.

Ray Lamphere Held for Murder of Mrs. Della Gunness and Her Three Small Children.

Laporte, Ind., May 1.-Ray Lamphere, arrested on suspicion of having started the fire which destroyed ness, and caused the death of Mrs. Gunness and three children, was Thursday held on a charge of murder in the first degree.

He waived examination and was bound over without bail. Lamphere makes conflicting statements of his whereabouts previous to and during the fire. He admits that between three and four o'clock Tuesday morning he was walking from Laporte to a place where he was employed, six miles north of town, that he passed near the Gunness house and saw the roof afire, but did not give an alarm

roof afire, but did not give an alarm because he feared he might be suspected.

The fire at the Gunness house was discovered at four o'clock. Officers have evidence that Mrs. Gunness feared for her life and her property, and had made a will within 12 hours of the time she met death.

By the terms of the will, the estate of \$15,000 is given to her three children, but in case they die without issue the property goes to the Norwegian orphanage, Chicago. The authorities have been unable to find

authorities have been unable to find any relatives of the Gunness woman. New orders" were issued covering The victims of the fire will be buried he entry of the fleet through the in Forest Home cemetery, Chicago, according to a request in Mrs. Gun-

OKLAHOMA TOWN BURNED. Lawless Element in Verden Start Fire in Revenge.

Anadarko, Okla., May 2 .-- A supposed attempt of the lawless element in the little town of Verden, nine miles east of here, to take revenge on City Marshal Gillespie for his policy of strict law enforcement resulted in an incendiary fire which destroyed the principal business section of the town, burning a general merchandise store, the First National bank, a grocery, hardware, drug and harness store, and causing a loss of \$50,000.

The fire was discovered Friday forenoon in the grocery store of Protzman & Co., owned by Marshal Gillespie. Recently there have been numerous threats against Gillespie for his strict enforcement of the laws and many expected that he might meet with personal violence.

MIRROR LAKE IS DRAINED.

ideal Fishing Place Ruined by Going Out of Dams.

Baraboo, Wis., May 1.-High water carried away two dams and an iron bridge on Doll creek Wednesday night, dling. putting two large flouring mills out of business.

The going out of the dams also drained Mirror lake, one of the most picturesque spots in Wisconsin. This was an ideal fishing place and all game fish were swept into the Wisconsin river. Several boat houses were also carried away. The damage is heavy. The dams and bridge will be rebuilt, but it will take several years to put the fishing on the basis it was before the dams went out.

Woman Sues for Treasure Trove. Appleton, Wis., May 2 .- While plowing on his farm near New London re cently, Louis Hoffman unearthed a pot of gold said to amount to \$30,000. Hoffman had just purchased the farm from Mrs. John Schmall, and Friday she started suit to recover the gold. saying she sold only the farm.

Prominent Railroad Man Dies. New York, May 2 .- L. P. Farmer, hairman of the Trunk Line associaon and a prominent railroad man died suddenly at his home here Friday. His death is believed to have resulted from apoplexy.

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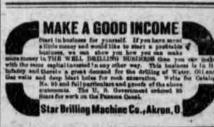
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